1. PLEASE DISSEMINATE THIS INFORMATION TO EACH FIRE PROTECTION FLIGHT IN YOUR COMPONENT/COMMAND AND ASK THEM TO PROVIDE A COURTESY COPY OF THIS MESSAGE TO THEIR UNIT TRAINING MANAGER WHERE APPLICABLE.

A. EFFECTIVE 20 MAR 00, THE FOLLOWING FIRE PROTECTION SPECIALTY (3E7X1) CAREER DEVELOPMENT COURSES (CDC'S) WERE DEACTIVATED AND ARE NO LONGER AVAILABLE EXCEPT FOR FIRE FIGHTERS WHO WERE ENROLLED IN THESE COURSES PRIOR TO THE 20 MAR 00 EFFECTIVE DATE.

- B. THE COURSES THAT HAVE BEEN DEACTIVATED ARE:
- (1) CDC 3E751B DRIVER/OPERATOR PUMPER
- (2) CDC 3E751C DRIVER/OPERATOR AERIAL
- (3) CDC 3E751D DRIVER OPERATOR ARFF
- (4) CDC 3E751F DRIVER/OPERATOR TILLER.
- C. THE NEW COURSES THAT REPLACED THE COURSES LISTED ABOVE ARE
- (1) CDC 10023 AND 10023G DRIVER/OPERATOR PUMPER
- (2) CDC 10024 AND 10024G DRIVER/OPERATOR AERIAL
- (3) CDC 10025 AND 10025G DRIVER/OPERATOR TILLER
- (4) CDC 10027 AND 10027G DRIVER/OPERATOR ARFF
- (5) CDC 10028 AND 10028G DRIVER/OPERATOR MOBILE WATER SUPPLY APPARATUS.
- D. THE NEW COURSES HAVE BEEN ACCREDITED BY THE INTERNATIONAL FIRE SERVICE ACCREDITATION CONGRESS AND MEET THE 1998 EDITION OF NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION STANDARD 1002, STANDARD ON FIRE APPARATUS DRIVER/OPERATOR PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS.

- E. AIR FORCE FIRE FIGHTERS COMPLETING FIVE LEVEL UPGRADE TRAINING REQUIREMENTS MUST ORDER THE 10023 OR 10023G DRIVER OPERATOR PUMPER AND 10027 OR 10027G DRIVER OPERATOR ARFF COURSES AT THE SAME TIME AND THE TRAINEE ONLY HAS ONE YEAR TO COMPLETE BOTH MANDATORY COURSES.
- F. CERTEST CERTIFICATION COURSE REVIEW EXERCISES FOR ALL FIVE DRIVER/OPERATOR COURSES CAN BE DOWNLOADED AT THE HEADQUARTERS AIR FORCE CIVIL ENGINEER SUPPORT AGENCY WEBSITE AT http://www.afcesa.af.mil/directorate/cex/certest/fire.html.
- 2. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT OUR POCS xxx VIA EMAIL AT xxx, OR BY PHONE AT DSN xxx, OR xxx AT xxx OR BY PHONE AT DSN xxx